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By ECF

Honorable Sandra L. Townes United States District Judge Eastern District of New York 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, NY 11201

> Re: Raysor v. United States, 03 Cr 5418 (SLT) (JMA)

Dear Judge Townes:

This letter is to request a one-month period in which to file an amendment to the ineffective assistance of counsel issue raised by Petitioner in his § 2255 Petition.

At this point, Mr. Raysor's hearing on the issues is completed and the post hearing briefing, the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation and Objections to this Report and Recommendation have been filed. However, a recent review of the file has led me to conclude that an amendment to the ineffective assistance of counsel claim is warranted.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that counsel be accorded until September 19, 2014 to file this amendment to the ineffective assistance of counsel claim.

Very truly yours,

/s/

Joyce C. London

cc.: AUSA Samuel Nitze (By ECF and by Email)